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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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Application No.: New application

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For: METHOD FOR CONTROLLING THE  
USE OF A PROGRAM SIGNAL IN A  
BROADCAST SYSTEM, AND  
CONTROL DEVICE FOR A  
RECEIVER FOR CARRYING OUT  
SUCH A METHOD

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Examiner: Not yet assigned

Art Group: Not yet assigned

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter the following  
amendments.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. A method to control the use of a program signal in a broadcast system,  
comprising one or more broadcasters and a number of receivers, at least a part of the  
receivers having a storage medium to store program signals, wherein the program

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